

# EVEN MATCH

**Players** Two

**Materials** Cards ace (or 1) through 9

**Goal** Get the highest sum

- How to Play**
1. One player calls "odd numbers" and the other is "even numbers."
  2. Place the cards 1–9 in a pile FACE DOWN.
  3. Players take turns turning over the top card. If the "odds" player gets an odd card, he or she keeps it. Otherwise, it is discarded. When "evens" picks, she or he keeps it only if it's even.
  4. When all the cards have been turned over, players total the face value of their cards.
  5. Switch and play a second round (odd player becomes even and vice versa). The player with the highest two-round total wins.

